

Preliminary
NORTH CAROLINA
FARM CENSUS SUMMARY
by Counties
1953 CROPS

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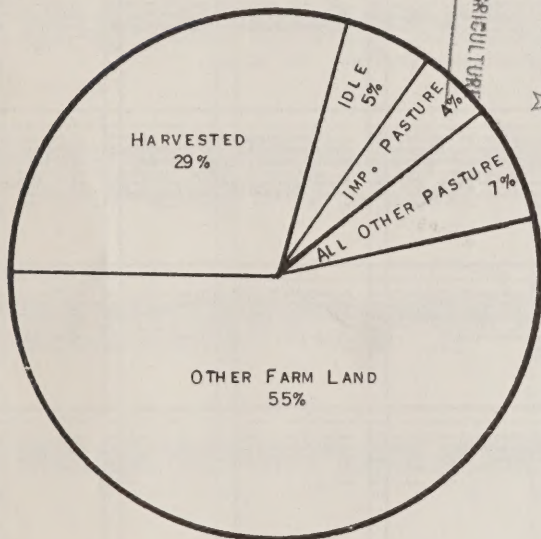
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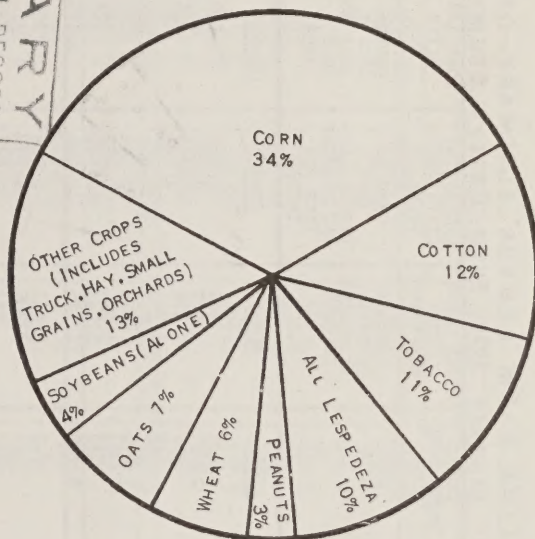
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NORTH CAROLINA FARM CENSUS SUMMARY OF 1953 CROPS ^{1/} (Source: January 1954 Farm Census Enumeration)

DISTRICTS AND COUNTIES	ALL POTATOES		Other Vegetables Grown Mostly For Sale	All Other Crops Harvested -- Include Orchards, Vineyards, etc.	Commercial Fertilizers Total Of All Kinds Used In 1953, Except Lime And Plaster Tons And Tenths	Sows And Gilts For Farrowing Between Dec. 1, 1953 And June 1, 1954		LIVESTOCK ON THIS LAND JAN. 1, 1954			People Of All Ages Living On This Land Jan. 1st 5/		
	Irish	Sweet				Cows And Heifers Two Years Old And Over	All Hens And Pullets Of Laying Age	Kept Mainly For Milk	Kept Mainly For Beef	NUMBER		NUMBER	NUMBER
ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	TONS	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER			
District 1													
Alleghany.....	283	6	221	868	4,364	140	6,229	4,266	27,299	5,688			
Ashe.....	450	14	2,547	1,677	8,501	302	8,932	4,501	59,196	14,946			
Avery.....	1,112	17	2,889	1,579	2,639	58	2,194	1,622	21,170	7,703			
Caldwell.....	221	78	218	3,236	283	283	2,969	1,438	49,611	14,772			
Curry.....	608	306	527	2,812	16,509	253	6,492	3,903	102,904	20,255			
Watauga.....	1,193	9	1,379	1,653	15,146	158	4,671	4,327	10,398	36,682			
Wilkes.....	534	181	294	4,674	6,768	244	6,642	4,272	135,148	23,670			
Yadkin.....	217	117	294	3,541	11,000	243	3,259	1,894	39,581	13,249			
NORTHERN MOUNTAIN (N. W.)	4,618	728	6,147	17,713	59,063	1,583	43,398	26,223	491,591	110,679			
District 2													
Buncombe.....	348	22	449	3,521	5,959	219	10,965	4,341	89,803	23,747			
Burke.....	345	89	134	1,780	4,072	315	2,959	1,999	83,526	13,524			
Cherokee.....	518	105	210	644	2,637	294	2,878	665	122,092	10,216			
Clay.....	141	31	15	461	1,417	170	1,800	388	94,793	3,854			
Graham.....	139	41	2	201	848	54	704	585	17,599	3,417			
Haywood.....	241	27	350	2,057	3,913	124	5,026	8,436	60,873	13,077			
Henderson.....	1,204	173	5,337	6,602	9,613	456	4,760	3,522	89,577	9,510			
Jackson.....	463	53	400	6,904	2,658	131	2,156	1,762	31,350	9,360			
McDowell.....	189	53	139	1,166	1,660	169	1,270	1,119	22,480	7,287			
Macon.....	554	95	592	1,068	3,488	525	3,300	2,269	74,431	9,263			
Madison.....	447	79	143	1,431	5,517	92	5,340	5,217	60,746	13,524			
Mitchell.....	717	9	45	1,267	1,891	92	2,854	942	22,147	8,409			
Polk.....	102	170	433	1,809	2,970	46	1,643	727	17,467	5,097			
Rutherford.....	158	518	1,561	3,385	11,134	282	4,035	1,792	72,170	16,995			
Swain.....	240	7	585	3,585	2,632	162	1,940	637	21,419	3,764			
Transylvania.....	87	104	2	897	2,963	199	1,389	1,972	29,339	8,284			
Yancey.....	590	16	1,34	1,792	2,963	115	3,301	1,490	38,598	9,895			
WESTERN MOUNTAIN (W.)	6,483	1,592	11,122	29,571	63,322	3,275	53,020	37,863	948,410	166,131			
District 3													
Alamance.....	85	113	1,054	2,262	11,929	459	6,079	3,530	74,712	16,622			
Caswell.....	421	291	90	2,991	12,405	370	3,936	1,851	54,122	16,177			
Durham.....	169	132	510	1,189	6,004	230	2,221	1,975	52,942	10,035			
Forsyth.....	202	156	537	2,692	10,123	375	4,010	3,001	87,747	15,535			
Franklin.....	411	309	211	3,256	21,910	774	2,632	3,449	69,419	15,325			
Granville.....	315	272	234	1,959	18,425	363	4,206	3,321	52,594	16,903			
Guilford.....	199	247	642	4,395	18,050	677	7,325	3,644	100,019	23,531			
Orange.....	84	90	134	1,598	8,045	425	4,382	2,195	126,838	10,675			
Person.....	357	173	70	2,239	13,242	398	3,487	1,931	51,910	15,489			
Rockingham.....	371	323	148	4,384	18,441	280	5,209	3,699	21,584	21,584			
Stokes.....	447	313	53	3,282	14,461	114	4,341	1,520	108,934	16,992			
Vance.....	242	182	381	1,664	12,820	239	2,451	829	39,671	12,689			
Warren.....	344	334	1,025	1,664	12,820	239	3,350	2,455	46,812	14,267			
NORTHERN PIEDMONT (N.)	3,647	2,935	5,039	33,171	177,560	5,044	53,831	33,400	964,022	212,911			
District 5													
Alexander.....	61	53	36	3,333	5,290	118	3,630	1,277	45,047	9,113			
Catawba.....	69	623	219	3,522	11,843	386	6,531	3,069	108,724	15,276			
Chatham.....	67	145	466	1,853	9,886	1,027	5,266	3,922	94,331	13,477			
Davidson.....	214	752	466	3,160	11,355	6,169	4,244	1,694	110,056	19,279			
Davie.....	90	42	15	1,160	16,155	5,439	45,630	8,418	45,630	8,418			
Iredell.....	68	64	191	3,552	18,082	420	11,294	4,074	93,390	18,267			
Lee.....	71	172	92	3,552	18,082	420	11,294	4,074	93,390	18,267			
Randolph.....	154	135	885	2,142	13,033	762	8,196	3,598	131,877	19,890			

Rowan.....	99	146	2,869	2,125	13,139	385	8,261	70,045	16,141
Wake.....	201	786	2,800	5,716	36,837	1,301	5,839	149,616	33,040
CENTRAL PIEDMONT (C.).....	1,104	2,918	5,713	27,925	133,287	5,477	30,959	893,355	161,722
District 8									
Anson.....	100	208	267	3,641	17,260	482	2,465	73,532	13,377
Cabarrus.....	76	39	630	1,763	8,175	462	4,759	91,866	10,685
Cleveland.....	206	269	730	4,452	32,252	531	3,708	162,968	24,378
Gaston.....	29	80	297	2,146	8,479	205	2,477	80,187	11,156
Lincoln.....	77	134	318	2,419	11,822	233	5,641	59,403	12,156
Mecklenburg.....	59	101	684	1,928	9,879	410	3,796	63,228	16,196
Montgomery.....	51	67	224	5,298	6,426	281	1,211	26,545	6,875
Moore.....	115	228	1,020	3,909	10,894	501	2,117	49,119	13,382
Richmond.....	142	240	1,137	4,541	12,334	257	1,083	29,922	10,363
Stanly.....	116	104	323	1,579	13,384	860	3,974	192,396	12,136
Union.....	137	161	406	3,602	24,488	1,203	8,926	330,057	23,041
SOUTHERN PIEDMONT (S.).....	1,107	1,631	6,105	35,278	155,403	5,423	35,539	1,159,223	154,205
District 3									
Bertie.....	353	843	353	866	21,109	4,488	884	68,035	15,432
Camden.....	2,573	31	334	172	9,805	673	309	18,626	2,811
Chowan.....	66	290	2,724	652	8,674	1,796	207	30,150	5,314
Currituck.....	1,979	705	1,630	182	10,182	444	190	31,270	3,241
Dare.....	15	10	25	25	40	45	60	6,050	600
Edgecombe.....	563	820	117	1,732	34,353	3,898	1,708	78,312	22,161
Gates.....	19	125	208	463	10,093	2,834	2,556	34,904	5,746
Halifax.....	359	572	799	2,222	32,085	3,261	5,057	70,123	25,485
Hertford.....	122	341	197	740	13,378	3,717	523	44,112	14,725
Martin.....	311	1,971	463	751	23,745	3,659	1,801	57,304	14,725
Nash.....	479	983	371	4,381	40,862	4,426	1,800	139,615	30,916
Northampton.....	371	510	343	1,363	24,131	4,020	2,435	83,481	18,102
Pasquotank.....	3,895	162	4,553	1,398	15,657	1,101	1,828	27,922	4,299
Perquimans.....	74	88	508	194	9,458	1,376	1,052	32,587	4,608
Tyrrell.....	1,373	268	185	26	4,383	1,110	966	21,784	2,462
Washington.....	116	164	225	401	6,189	1,063	330	19,143	4,423
NORTHERN COASTAL (N.E.).....	12,668	7,883	13,030	14,571	264,155	34,911	31,386	763,418	169,893
District 6									
Beaufort.....	2,077	1,226	344	1,717	24,935	2,322	1,272	75,288	15,004
Carteret.....	1,226	824	1,302	647	6,199	424	1,464	18,273	3,033
Craven.....	158	752	296	1,028	16,518	1,279	1,865	39,881	12,009
Greene.....	452	548	192	995	26,116	2,102	662	75,897	14,664
Hyde.....	550	8	304	413	5,162	628	879	27,360	3,135
Johnston.....	611	2,818	509	6,322	57,716	7,181	3,565	219,817	40,470
Jones.....	275	551	144	793	12,375	1,944	1,726	35,862	7,732
Lenoir.....	361	787	234	2,114	31,087	2,929	1,718	94,652	19,613
Pamlico.....	820	1,350	351	2,338	47,093	4,421	1,520	17,393	3,607
Pitt.....	707	1,796	925	2,686	47,895	4,304	4,278	131,820	29,330
Wayne.....	1,330	805	1,348	2,519	40,709	3,706	3,042	132,341	24,372
Wilson.....	401	558	184	2,619	36,027	2,496	1,923	111,826	21,743
CENTRAL COASTAL (E.).....	8,968	12,023	6,133	22,091	311,832	29,736	26,697	980,410	194,712
District 9									
Bladen.....	88	651	636	2,249	17,959	2,448	3,496	64,663	17,937
Brunswick.....	56	2,529	844	2,931	8,440	1,399	1,122	37,358	11,375
Columbus.....	637	6,159	775	2,904	31,990	2,955	3,136	95,024	30,387
Cumberland.....	108	303	4,089	3,693	22,371	2,055	2,119	65,956	18,684
Duplin.....	842	1,482	1,090	2,822	40,326	4,817	2,519	118,568	26,793
Harnett.....	113	793	970	3,732	35,839	2,052	2,358	100,701	23,505
Hoke.....	79	192	762	1,693	13,677	623	878	37,959	9,802
New Hanover.....	24	91	2,439	1,073	2,847	75	64	14,021	2,858
Onslow.....	124	523	99	1,642	12,923	2,616	2,087	47,405	11,647
Pender.....	86	573	2,490	1,829	11,348	1,604	1,403	52,132	10,681
Robeson.....									
Sampson.....	1,153	1,566	6,760	3,872	47,543	4,047	3,839	133,110	33,031
Scotland.....	62	158	1,173	7,827	15,054	890	1,132	35,750	10,336
SOUTHERN COASTAL (S.E.) 2/	4,089	16,062	24,420	39,172	319,438	29,746	28,312	991,852	256,336
STATE TOTAL, 1953 2/.....	42,885	45,772	77,760	219,494	1,484,060	115,297	313,863	250,429	1,426,798
STATE TOTAL, 1952 2/ 3/.....	39,373	37,835	60,323	209,122	1,477,223	123,769	312,451	7,302,386	1,406,925

1/ Due to later revisions some county totals shown on this sheet will differ from those on individual county releases. 2/ Includes allowances for counties not reporting or counties having reports inadequate for getting a county total. 3/ Revised. 5/ See definition of "people", page 8.

NORTH CAROLINA FARM CENSUS SUMMARY OF 1953 CROPS 1/

(Source: January 1954 Farm Census Enumeration)

DISTRICTS AND COUNTIES	Wheat Threshed or Combined	Oats Threshed Combined or Cut Ripe For Feed	All Other Small Grains Alone Or Mixed Or Threshed, Combined, Or Cut Ripe For Feed	SOYBEANS COMBINED OR PICKED FOR BEANS		Lespedeza Harvested For Seed	HAY CROPS HARVESTED				All Other Hays Cut Excluding Peanut Hay
				From Acres Grown Alone	From Acres Grown With Other Crops 4/		Lespedeza Cut For Hay	Soybeans And/or Cowpeas Cut For Hay	Small Grains Cut For Hay Only	Alfalfa Cut For Hay	
	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES
District 1											
Alleghany.....	285	816	214	33	17	15	179	50	332	946	12,855
Ashe.....	98	932	273	15	-	-	34	10	1,759	859	16,457
Avery.....	29	460	101	6	-	-	10	13	10	13	6,988
Caldwell.....	2,225	2,516	619	1,443	64	469	8,277	620	2,920	444	1,843
Curry.....	3,118	3,337	735	213	3	835	9,541	316	2,920	724	4,325
Watauga.....	1,112	1,331	407	36	-	9	542	39	22	137	8,972
Wilkes.....	3,866	2,254	786	653	85	338	6,115	1,324	746	742	8,476
Yadkin.....	7,157	6,218	3,262	268	38	1,835	13,993	696	930	1,087	1,277
NORTHERN MOUNTAIN (N.W.)	16,890	17,974	6,397	2,667	207	3,551	33,171	3,068	7,734	4,952	60,993
District 4											
Burke.....	694	1,549	998	92	13	139	2,620	1,052	1,135	2,722	9,092
Buncombe.....	4,151	2,925	1,908	1,908	4	333	2,186	1,829	1,787	1,743	1,374
Cherokee.....	4,93	2,307	91	89	21	11	331	26	30	1,782	4,107
Clay.....	170	391	53	97	4	14	331	95	6	175	3,576
Graham.....	-	77	-	-	-	24	19	-	6	16	1,126
Haywood.....	133	895	248	17	-	49	246	46	701	868	5,264
Henderson.....	413	655	1,225	163	55	254	1,184	370	482	671	4,892
Jackson.....	13	166	237	16	5	33	170	42	142	485	4,714
McDowell.....	986	623	349	1,081	10	274	502	800	247	147	955
Macon.....	78	108	109	65	47	55	139	139	491	177	6,584
Madison.....	296	1,364	571	14	9	69	1,103	64	670	1,375	8,565
Mitchell.....	5	729	40	-	-	2	58	15	130	445	7,587
Polk.....	932	1,332	225	22	5	54	1,443	419	425	248	7,975
Rutherford.....	6,999	6,116	1,469	588	43	636	4,721	813	595	1,714	1,422
Swain.....	2	201	23	10	-	5	363	112	66	68	1,408
Transylvania.....	20	1,033	100	15	20	3	83	39	136	437	2,083
Vance.....	20	1,033	230	10	-	12	382	44	412	437	1,061
WESTERN MOUNTAIN (W.)	15,053	18,383	6,586	4,187	236	2,007	16,051	4,905	6,552	11,981	72,375
District 2											
Alamance.....	9,341	9,602	1,313	380	32	2,340	10,286	2,094	755	629	1,236
Caswell.....	7,097	2,622	1,003	157	19	315	6,635	156	687	1,132	1,240
Durham.....	1,767	1,962	516	92	2	176	4,799	369	336	270	950
Forsyth.....	6,808	7,593	1,674	227	23	2,087	12,629	3,618	981	1,881	1,785
Franklin.....	3,826	2,709	3,67	554	9	2,260	4,586	3,618	1,758	316	1,100
Granville.....	2,266	1,885	540	328	23	1,62	8,759	1,864	495	2,436	2,565
Guilford.....	13,059	10,214	3,535	527	36	1,936	16,601	1,421	1,606	2,436	2,426
Orange.....	4,240	5,622	1,346	513	20	338	1,531	1,206	818	660	2,185
Person.....	4,266	1,363	1,346	56	2	366	1,531	1,206	818	660	2,185
Rockingham.....	3,566	4,167	2,089	106	-	415	10,017	658	925	375	504
Stokes.....	9,599	3,206	708	-	2	235	8,197	101	2,253	2,073	3,085
Vance.....	1,683	327	327	267	8	122	3,711	1,755	1,255	812	1,825
Warren.....	4,398	2,126	815	607	8	218	7,394	936	845	426	1,959
NORTHERN PIEDMONT (N.)	72,074	53,762	14,706	3,814	159	9,175	108,705	14,752	13,349	12,030	21,802
District 5											
Alexander.....	5,023	5,426	1,184	618	4	1,501	6,231	1,065	679	782	490
Catawba.....	18,183	12,662	3,208	1,827	21	9,079	15,655	1,048	1,304	3,929	946
Chatham.....	6,939	9,370	1,482	1,359	23	2,508	12,228	503	566	1,416	709
Davidson.....	11,142	9,070	6,550	300	14	7,584	12,729	253	556	1,416	4,035
Davie.....	15,241	7,627	225	225	21	2,812	6,292	401	712	1,201	3,030
Iredell.....	19,765	18,408	6,087	524	17	8,937	24,742	701	1,610	4,527	3,600
Lee.....	2,582	3,200	1,385	156	17	1,63	1,537	598	858	75	287
Randolph.....	13,320	12,434	4,107	566	4	6,333	15,637	705	611	1,400	1,720

Rowan.....	21,598	16,130	4,433	312	63	7,848	17,054	398	965	2,043	3,512
Wake.....	7,289	7,004	888	1,630	107	7,778	8,735	4,462	2,127	2,023	1,454
CENTRAL PIEDMONT (C.).....	111,082	102,020	30,126	6,517	274	47,183	119,877	10,050	9,566	11,941	19,783
District 3											
Anson.....	7,577	16,855	3,417	515	30	10,980	9,199	651	295	113	568
Cabarrus.....	11,309	13,420	3,008	325	-	7,916	11,506	403	796	940	1,382
Cleveland.....	15,300	14,480	4,443	214	82	2,924	13,748	462	1,619	2,749	1,287
Gaston.....	9,872	9,531	2,511	140	7	3,839	7,016	414	606	1,900	1,060
Lincoln.....	15,306	10,326	4,288	205	15	5,950	11,999	170	253	2,402	595
Mecklenburg.....	12,790	12,790	1,629	281	15	2,040	14,973	468	1,454	3,376	1,140
Montgomery.....	3,549	3,429	1,302	342	11	1,438	2,573	360	1,166	2,243	260
Moore.....	4,678	1,964	1,964	109	-	1,775	1,564	1,311	1,106	330	369
Richmond.....	4,747	1,258	1,258	165	23	1,311	2,064	1,009	930	168	1,328
Stanly.....	14,914	4,000	4,000	185	21	25,415	6,880	253	130	523	346
Union.....	21,567	33,416	6,017	336	10	33,347	13,831	814	1,344	562	1,077
SOUTHERN PIEDMONT (S.).....	121,400	138,706	34,016	3,022	199	98,435	95,373	6,405	8,899	13,306	9,412
District 3											
Bertie.....	61	178	30	3,572	1,550	3	28	29	35	-	73
Camden.....	10	157	351	14,591	27	10	179	28	-	-	-
Chowan.....	38	47	43	4,804	57	-	-	4	4	-	5
Currituck.....	61	151	305	14,477	182	13	14	180	107	37	61
Dare.....	-	-	-	1,150	10	-	-	20	-	-	-
Edgecombe.....	1,838	2,700	1,892	8,022	405	912	1,070	817	690	201	801
Gates.....	2,221	2,275	866	2,699	27	2	16	98	-	-	-
Halifax.....	75	91	164	5,210	555	853	2,918	861	145	92	1,276
Hertford.....	144	206	70	1,343	860	2	114	190	20	1	17
Martin.....	4,101	6,497	1,324	4,880	205	404	44	134	37	-	15
Nash.....	866	965	431	1,136	132	323	5,313	1,796	3,056	719	1,684
Northampton.....	201	441	320	2,685	1,599	158	1,487	602	434	5	258
Pasquotank.....	84	228	14	17,943	27	58	274	98	2	4	106
Perquimans.....	421	683	81	18,602	21	91	106	37	-	-	-
Tyrrell.....	217	384	88	7,692	273	135	501	211	13	7	3
Washington.....	10,415	14,446	5,979	12,326	5,932	2,702	12,088	5,196	4,544	1,066	4,384
NORTHERN COASTAL (N.E.).....											
District 6											
Beaufort.....	637	6,455	410	30,995	73	4,145	2,614	3,166	49	34	609
Carteret.....	98	240	168	1,894	11	36	232	252	5	-	128
Craven.....	655	593	77	4,832	47	121	1,015	2,082	64	-	141
Greene.....	427	498	28	4,448	45	192	750	1,263	136	36	71
Hyde.....	38	1,054	229	17,086	1,703	1,278	286	1,384	9	-	-
Johnston.....	4,314	4,762	907	2,897	808	297	3,559	8,854	908	157	572
Jones.....	1,183	1,206	166	2,886	1,194	449	801	1,208	42	-	177
Lenoir.....	348	1,666	428	1,116	15	161	1,579	1,571	226	21	563
Pamlico.....	797	1,399	139	8,212	148	1,094	504	714	88	6	77
Pitt.....	2,608	2,928	465	4,936	276	304	2,402	3,125	1,046	153	501
Wayne.....	3,131	477	424	4,124	72	356	2,250	3,750	298	51	165
Wilson.....	2,514	3,332	640	895	109	85	3,182	1,717	1,653	121	214
CENTRAL COASTAL (E.).....	13,850	26,548	4,134	79,831	2,701	8,518	19,574	28,086	4,524	579	3,223
District 9											
Bladen.....	1,476	3,975	586	2,999	326	281	1,334	2,579	708	27	659
Brunswick.....	1,448	2,438	1,257	2,267	256	66	1,700	2,933	129	6	129
Columbus.....	1,235	8,438	1,285	2,541	163	108	1,088	6,197	1,052	41	581
Cumberland.....	6,770	9,280	2,167	7,885	1,208	1,029	3,266	2,223	306	96	1,661
Duplin.....	1,647	1,698	439	2,983	328	94	787	1,849	244	2	937
Harnett.....	5,670	6,203	771	2,405	1,669	394	2,867	3,212	1,350	112	1,248
Hoke.....	3,396	6,381	1,429	1,249	1,115	885	3,615	1,910	1,174	90	344
New Hanover.....	28	188	95	1,226	595	-	12	1,173	6	112	441
Onslow.....	159	604	95	1,985	20	58	457	861	139	14	112
Pender.....	416	1,494	105	2,324	86	126	1,124	2,390	161	11	336
Robeson.....	3,362	4,115	1,011	6,200	1,494	307	1,838	3,992	-	92	1,639
Sampson.....	1,344	6,404	1,163	2,969	-	701	1,610	2,027	126	4	362
Scotland.....	31,326	64,204	10,992	37,201	6,268	5,509	24,555	31,921	8,576	651	10,729
SOUTHERN COASTAL (S.E.) 2/											
STATE TOTAL, 1953 2/.....	392,090	436,043	113,036	257,361	15,976	177,080	429,694	110,383	63,744	62,506	202,703
STATE TOTAL, 1952 2/ 3/.....	393,901	375,502	98,243	269,889	32,542	178,493	453,772	148,123	81,317	63,505	205,694

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NORTH CAROLINA FARM CENSUS SUMMARY OF 1953 CROPS 1/

(Source: January 1954 Farm Census Enumeration)

DISTRICTS AND COUNTIES	Total Land in Farms 1953	Harvested Cropland -- Land From Which Crops Were Harvested 1953	Idle Cropland -- No Crops Saved Or Grazed Including 1953 Crop Failure	PASTURE LAND		All Other Land Woods Waste Cutover, Homesites, Nonfarm, Etc.	Corn Grown For All Purposes (Exclude Sweet Corn)	Cotton Harvested	Tobacco Harvested	Peanuts Grown Alone For All Purposes
				Improved Pasture	All Other Pasture Including Woodland Pasture 4/					
	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES
District 1										
Alleghany.....	132,352	20,580	1,554	14,910	61,024	34,284	3,724	-	226	-
Ashe.....	256,746	33,089	4,791	37,074	93,514	88,278	7,113	-	1,103	-
Avery.....	187,375	22,418	2,895	2,949	25,394	42,136	1,864	-	113	-
Caldwell.....	138,879	22,418	1,215	6,333	14,410	104,503	6,218	26	487	7
Curry.....	296,479	63,039	20,642	17,863	23,546	171,389	20,143	-	14,950	10
Watauga.....	159,909	20,335	3,680	24,197	42,196	69,501	3,750	-	872	-
Wilkes.....	330,294	44,229	18,934	14,747	44,726	207,658	13,794	169	1,785	3
Yadkin.....	192,481	53,156	15,795	11,790	14,471	97,269	12,013	91	9,747	4
NORTHERN MOUNTAIN (N.W.)..	1,614,515	270,947	79,506	129,763	319,281	815,018	68,619	286	29,283	24
District 4										
Buncombe.....	273,175	38,531	12,470	17,293	83,164	121,717	12,900	-	1,791	-
Burke.....	174,513	27,566	11,473	7,722	12,109	117,643	8,796	110	3	41
Cherokee.....	150,346	15,947	5,198	7,895	6,939	114,567	8,370	-	50	-
Clay.....	55,369	19,731	2,545	3,598	8,058	31,667	4,121	-	65	-
Graham.....	171,787	4,258	1,013	1,922	6,371	29,023	1,806	-	310	-
Haywood.....	175,234	19,742	2,114	10,532	72,385	70,361	7,088	-	1,257	3
Henderson.....	142,788	32,175	8,326	15,582	18,163	68,542	10,589	-	32	-
Jackson.....	113,848	12,234	3,462	4,628	25,173	68,351	4,485	-	119	-
Madison.....	98,448	12,343	4,829	3,396	8,162	69,718	4,808	-	12	2
Macon.....	134,782	17,002	4,245	7,126	27,150	79,259	9,929	-	39	-
Madison.....	226,031	27,452	14,015	22,473	76,437	85,654	8,223	-	3,311	-
Mitchell.....	91,994	14,117	5,350	25,369	21,345	41,345	2,596	-	3,491	-
Polk.....	93,585	17,446	9,335	4,867	8,886	53,051	6,188	2,668	3	3
Rutherford.....	257,637	61,128	26,156	14,555	22,371	133,427	17,208	16,249	24	72
Swain.....	52,771	5,522	352	3,970	1,922	41,005	2,486	-	30	-
Transylvania.....	60,347	11,491	1,779	6,531	5,122	35,424	5,885	-	27	-
Yancey.....	128,951	18,907	8,661	7,171	36,136	58,074	5,323	-	1,268	-
WESTERN MOUNTAIN (W.).....	2,271,836	345,592	121,323	142,374	443,919	1,218,628	116,721	19,027	8,832	121
District 2										
Alamance.....	282,075	55,971	27,299	17,828	16,108	124,869	16,870	176	6,267	18
Caswell.....	264,176	51,014	26,848	9,037	17,549	159,728	15,036	-	13,126	2
Durham.....	142,164	25,432	10,772	5,679	7,872	92,409	7,955	262	5,014	2
Forsyth.....	199,771	51,645	23,021	11,508	14,745	98,852	11,297	311	5,775	11
Franklin.....	295,004	81,834	16,385	9,572	13,993	174,220	26,223	15,882	17,234	5
Granville.....	285,080	65,381	14,475	9,484	17,703	178,037	23,676	670	18,894	-
Guilford.....	342,190	83,486	41,296	22,102	19,068	166,238	19,672	158	11,990	20
Orange.....	201,673	37,615	15,611	12,148	18,407	117,892	11,943	150	4,515	2
Person.....	244,030	54,899	15,845	7,210	13,278	152,798	18,074	5	14,141	-
Rockingham.....	333,298	70,419	27,138	13,775	23,689	186,077	18,250	-	18,073	-
Stokes.....	275,799	54,793	26,203	6,690	23,730	164,983	15,705	-	13,401	-
Vance.....	139,215	39,753	6,898	3,591	9,818	79,155	10,697	5,157	11,666	-
Warren.....	230,951	53,287	10,077	7,429	15,848	144,340	12,912	12,302	8,483	331
NORTHERN PIEDMONT (N.).....	3,195,426	724,929	261,868	135,053	221,978	1,851,598	208,310	35,073	150,579	389
District 5										
Alexander.....	140,390	30,329	11,207	8,233	11,456	79,174	7,279	1,390	1,507	35
Catawba.....	217,940	69,857	21,302	15,189	22,435	89,157	12,422	4,259	-	89
Chatham.....	320,545	46,155	24,252	17,287	24,687	208,164	15,780	4,952	3,700	2
Davidson.....	287,537	64,219	37,540	14,341	21,530	149,907	14,336	2,021	3,823	6
Davie.....	155,371	39,901	17,233	11,105	17,857	69,275	7,969	3,724	1,221	10
Iredell.....	332,395	105,993	29,278	29,019	32,569	132,516	18,731	16,739	1,358	22
Lee.....	124,445	26,521	8,449	3,666	5,835	79,974	8,552	1,905	5,892	3
Randolph.....	398,561	70,506	39,385	16,803	27,642	244,225	21,461	1,216	3,962	42

Rowan.....	257,735	82,391	26,554	19,724	27,174	101,892	13,722	11,778	52	22
Wake.....	430,999	118,168	23,887	19,292	19,233	250,419	39,122	27,295	27	29
CENTRAL PIEMONT (C.).....	2,665,927	654,040	239,087	154,659	213,418	1,404,723	159,374	53,061	43,810	260
District 8										
Anson.....	290,798	79,218	9,290	14,859	10,760	176,671	17,272	23,915	532	-
Cabarrus.....	200,322	62,407	16,774	12,428	20,162	88,551	11,615	7,820	11	17
Cleveland.....	267,670	124,747	17,170	21,874	15,610	88,269	19,851	57,658	5	35
Gaston.....	44,637	44,637	19,407	10,012	14,855	81,931	10,120	15,643	-	17
Lincoln.....	178,592	65,229	9,204	11,095	17,456	75,608	11,949	13,668	-	-
Mecklenburg.....	267,532	62,532	21,597	16,704	33,836	95,965	11,606	11,566	-	-
Montgomery.....	157,301	27,856	10,973	4,419	3,260	110,793	17,345	3,461	1,247	5
Moore.....	278,132	47,071	22,709	6,395	8,183	193,774	14,083	4,073	6,551	153
Richmond.....	197,120	50,674	20,451	15,444	7,543	113,008	12,910	12,766	3,043	427
Stanly.....	78,234	18,212	7,507	15,950	11,118	98,047	14,038	3,329	-	15
Union.....	374,581	133,500	13,550	28,539	36,480	162,512	24,328	25,679	-	10
SOUTHERN PIEMONT (S.).....	2,556,846	776,083	168,632	147,719	179,283	1,285,129	155,117	169,578	11,378	696
District 3										
Bertie.....	287,175	84,936	2,700	6,912	3,298	189,329	34,431	11,231	8,877	23,629
Camden.....	63,336	35,594	1,172	1,224	1,126	26,220	17,125	4,495	8	48
Chowan.....	86,394	34,827	450	2,571	814	47,732	14,181	4,385	819	6,414
Curry.....	83,716	35,739	369	2,700	2,092	44,809	15,397	4,392	-	207
Dare.....	1,570	550	52	60	75	833	320	-	-	-
Edgecombe.....	305,234	135,847	5,454	9,563	10,330	144,040	57,297	19,377	16,707	17,345
Gates.....	124,853	40,035	995	3,357	536	79,930	23,625	4,028	382	7,554
Halifax.....	400,594	142,818	13,721	12,776	13,979	217,300	37,155	37,155	8,814	29,351
Hertford.....	175,497	55,077	2,671	4,004	11,921	111,921	22,899	8,184	4,713	15,767
Martin.....	210,725	76,854	1,198	5,518	2,526	124,629	32,997	4,872	12,423	15,998
Nash.....	325,550	134,764	6,150	8,279	5,956	170,401	53,204	23,730	26,747	3,201
Northampton.....	308,526	117,040	5,243	7,437	2,748	178,038	38,437	35,017	643	31,145
Pasquotank.....	105,957	46,127	225	3,334	1,532	32,279	21,707	2,265	-	56
Perquimans.....	89,497	47,714	441	1,950	203	55,440	21,904	3,497	-	3,497
Tyrrell.....	43,760	15,710	562	2,580	203	25,005	6,682	476	-	251
Washington.....	75,381	32,181	1,183	2,532	893	38,472	11,481	1,279	1,282	3,347
NORTHERN COASTAL (N.E.).....	2,681,761	1,032,843	41,585	72,617	47,317	1,484,398	418,398	152,276	81,415	157,810
District 6										
Beaufort.....	293,107	112,358	2,854	8,950	3,175	165,770	45,078	2,449	13,794	835
Carteret.....	100,889	51,799	2,676	3,253	1,310	78,771	3,542	87	1,826	479
Craven.....	189,646	54,691	4,504	5,481	4,391	123,659	29,520	835	12,172	177
Greene.....	159,052	78,823	907	2,523	1,836	74,973	46,979	6,903	17,731	248
Hyde.....	76,509	35,132	995	1,455	1,561	37,366	13,985	6,260	-	-
Johnston.....	207,109	46,902	7,229	10,990	17,934	280,675	97,612	36,855	33,965	146
Jones.....	148,843	47,937	2,118	4,937	1,273	95,611	29,399	3,667	7,851	266
Lenoir.....	229,214	97,732	3,518	5,796	2,531	110,331	63,844	3,497	20,993	76
Pamlico.....	77,920	27,283	2,569	3,738	756	43,574	10,563	311	1,523	19
Pitt.....	361,184	166,428	2,015	8,941	2,704	181,096	83,792	14,083	36,949	6,817
Wayne.....	308,630	151,937	2,920	8,159	3,398	142,216	88,541	19,372	20,951	88
Wilson.....	220,068	105,829	2,093	4,662	1,385	105,099	49,946	15,170	24,202	266
CENTRAL COASTAL (E.).....	2,632,009	1,098,023	34,398	63,885	42,555	1,388,147	562,801	100,489	191,057	9,437
District 9										
Bladen.....	171,616	78,615	9,709	6,597	7,473	125,232	37,142	7,579	10,646	5,172
Brunswick.....	312,369	30,226	8,138	3,241	1,452	219,512	11,717	7,750	4,631	1,730
Columbus.....	353,232	126,747	8,795	9,744	7,295	262,850	56,110	5,016	23,612	2,488
Darlington.....	288,220	97,314	12,519	5,888	6,614	165,885	34,751	24,131	7,860	442
Duplin.....	398,513	145,070	9,664	10,487	6,841	226,513	93,442	6,933	22,634	371
Harnett.....	320,499	119,524	7,160	5,359	177,917	43,329	21,123	26,426	21,123	49
Hoke.....	154,853	61,885	1,301	6,331	1,970	81,066	11,875	26,400	4,299	20
New Hanover.....	27,168	6,605	2,474	6,629	384	17,076	1,517	10	176	342
Onslow.....	186,194	48,776	6,322	6,497	2,498	122,101	29,327	933	9,046	1,809
Pender.....	192,860	41,150	10,406	6,300	2,921	132,083	20,208	865	4,659	1,875
Robeson.....	489,671	185,566	8,399	8,403	5,535	281,758	81,080	43,636	22,607	794
Sampson.....	148,780	70,219	4,032	3,673	1,349	69,507	12,049	32,680	1,689	55
Scotland.....	3,536,572	1,254,655	103,711	81,935	57,023	2,039,248	520,033	256,341	153,282	15,951
SOUTHERN COASTAL (S.E.) (2)										
STATE TOTAL, 1953 (2).....	21,154,892	6,160,112	1,050,111	933,005	1,524,775	11,486,889	2,209,373	788,131	684,636	184,694
STATE TOTAL, 1952 (2).....	21,228,038	6,158,081	1,054,641	877,518	1,306,578	11,831,120	2,184,846	759,719	740,744	198,651

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DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

FARM LAND -- Total land in farms is the sum of the acreage of all tracts reporting crops harvested or livestock produced during the previous year. This also includes the acreage in farm tracts which were idle during the year.

IDLE CROPLAND -- Includes all plowable cropland from which no crops are saved, land in soil improving crops (not harvested), and land on which all crops failed, but excludes cropland in pasture.

IMPROVED PASTURE -- The definition of improved pasture as used here is "Any pasture which has been seeded with recommended pasture grass mixtures such as Ladino or grass mixtures, fertilized or otherwise improved". This figure excludes new pasture seeded in the fall of 1953.

ALL OTHER PASTURE -- Includes all pasture not reported as improved, including woodland pasture as well as open non-improved pasture.

CROPS -- Reports for all crops except peanuts are for acreage harvested during 1953. The acreage of peanuts is acreage grown alone for all purposes and includes "acreage hogged", etc.

COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER -- The commercial fertilizer question was asked to include all applications of commercial fertilizer used on all crops and pasture during the entire year of 1953. Lime and land plaster are not included.

SOWS AND GILTS -- This question was asked "How many sows and gilts were farrowed during the six months between December 1, 1953, and June 1, 1954"? This includes sows farrowing after December 1, even if disposed of prior to reporting.

PEOPLE -- Includes only people living on tracts (3 acres or more) that had some form of agricultural activity in 1953. Population figures prior to 1952 included people living on non-farm as well as farm tracts.